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BASEBALL

GROVETON DEFEATS GOULD'S

Groveton High School, getting revenge for the defeat which Gould's forced upon them in basketball, defeated us in baseball at Bethel, Wednesday, April 30, 16 to 5. The game was very loosely played on Gould's part, although the hitting and pitching of Swan featured the team could make but little progress. The summary:

Gould's	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
R. Chase, 3b,	4	1	1	2	2	1
Holmes, 2b,	3	0	0	0	0	2
W. Berry, p,	4	1	2	0	2	1
Keniston, c,	3	1	0	12	2	0
M. Berry, cf,	3	0	0	0	0	2
Goddard, 1b, ss,	4	0	0	5	3	2
Philbrick, ss, rf,	1	0	0	1	0	3
Sessions, rf, ss,	3	0	1	0	0	1
Corkery, rf,	2	0	0	0	0	0
E. Swan, p,	3	0	3	1	2	0
E. Chase, pinch hitter,	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals, 32 5 7 27 11 12

Groveton	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Warren, c,	0	1	3	11	3	0
Barton, 3b,	3	3	1	0	1	1
Ashe, ss,	4	2	1	2	0	0
Fiske, p,	6	3	1	0	4	0
Meade, 1b,	5	2	1	12	1	0
Mayhew, rf,	5	2	2	0	0	0
Brann, lf,	5	1	0	0	0	0
Nugent, cf,	5	1	2	0	0	0
Kiser, 2b,	2	1	0	2	3	0
Mahurin, 2b,	2	0	0	0	1	1

Totals, 45 16 11 27 13 2

Two-base hits, W. Berry, E. Swan 2. Sacrifice hits, Keniston, M. Berry, Stevens. Left on bases, Gould's 5, Groveton 7. Stolen bases, Gould's 2, Groveton 2. Bases on balls, by Berry 2, Swan 3, Fiske 1. Double plays, Goddard to W. Berry, Strike outs, W. Berry 4, E. Swan 8, Fiske 11.

Score by innings:

Gould's,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Groveton,	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0

GOULD'S DEFEATS DIXFIELD

After suffering such a defeat from Groveton the preceding Wednesday, Gould's settled down and swamped Dixfield High School, Saturday, May 5, 17 to 2. The playing and hitting of W. Berry, E. Swan and Goddard needs special mention, the latter also kept the Dixfield hits well scattered.

Gould's	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
W. Berry, ss,	6	4	4	3	1	0
R. Chase, 3b,	5	4	3	0	2	0
Keniston, c,	0	1	2	0	1	0
E. Swan, 1b,	0	3	4	11	0	0
Goddard, p,	6	1	4	0	3	1
M. Berry, cf,	4	2	3	2	1	0
Stevens, lf,	5	1	2	0	0	0
Holmes, 2b,	5	0	1	1	1	1
Hamlin, rf,	5	1	1	0	0	0

Totals, 48 17 24 27 13 3

Corkery ran for M. Berry each time

Dixfield	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Hadlow, 1b, p,	5	0	3	7	2	2
D. Babb, c,	4	0	0	7	0	0
Smith, 3b,	4	0	0	3	2	0
Hawkes, ss,	4	0	1	2	3	1
Sweet, cf,	3	0	0	0	0	0
Knox, lf,	4	0	3	2	0	1
Judkins, 2b,	4	1	2	3	1	1
Davenport, rf,	4	0	0	0	0	0
R. Babb, p, 1b,	4	1	4	1	4	0

Totals, 36 2 11 24 12 6

Score by innings:

Gould's,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Dixfield,	4	1	2	0	1	3	6	0	0

Two-base hits, W. Berry, Keniston, Goddard, E. Swan. Three base hit, W. Berry. Stolen bases, Holmes 3, Sacrifice hits, R. Chase, Holmes. Double plays, M. Berry to Goddard to Swan. Bases on balls, Goddard 1, R. Babb 3, Hadlow 1, Struck out, by Goddard 7, R. Babb 3, Hadlow 1. Left on bases, Gould's 12, Dixfield 9.

Gould's goes to Housford, Wednesday, May 7, and Dixfield, Saturday, May 10.

BETHEL PARENT-TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

A lecturer from the State Department of Health will be present at the next meeting of the Association, Monday evening at 8 o'clock, May 12. The program will be in the Bethel Chapel. Dr. Kendall himself will probably be here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Andrews have moved to Albany. Mr. Andrews is driving back and forth to his work at the Bethel Inn.

The Ladies' Club held a pleasant meeting with Mrs. Archibald last Thursday P. M. The Club will meet with Mrs. Herbert Howe this Thursday P. M. and the subject, Iceland, will be continued.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Margaret Herrick was in Portland, Monday.

Mr. George Hall of Lewiston was in town, Sunday.

Mrs. P. O. Brinck has completed her duties at Maple Inn.

Mr. C. R. Cross was in Berlin, N. H., the first of the week.

Mr. E. G. Park was a business visitor in Berlin, N. H., Saturday.

Mr. W. S. Wight is at Dr. Cobb's Hospital, Auburn, for treatment.

Mrs. Harold Flint and baby of Berlin, N. H., are guests of Mrs. F. P. Flint.

Herrick Bros. Co. unloaded another carload of Ford's the first of the week.

Mr. H. Alton Bacon of Bryant's Pond was a business visitor in town, Monday.

Don't forget that Sunday, May 11, is Mother's Day. Wear a flower for mother.

Mr. W. W. Hastings returned Friday from Fellsmead, Fla., where he spent the winter.

Miss Glenn Stevens of Portland was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Lois Thurston, last week.

Quite a number from here attended the sugar eat and dance at Newry Corner, Friday evening.

Mr. John Wood of Greenow was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood, Thursday and Friday.

Miss Mae Wiley returned Thursday from Fellsmead, Fla., where she has been spending the winter.

Miss Gertrude Bailey has completed her duties at Mrs. Harlan Wheeler's and has gone to her home in Newry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brown were guests of relatives at North Stratford, N. H., Sunday, making the trip by auto.

Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Tuell left Saturday for Massachusetts, where they will spend a few weeks with relatives.

Quite a number from here attended the opening dance at the Littlefield pavilion of Locke's Mills, Friday evening.

Mr. Cleve Waterhouse has moved his family from West Bethel to the Harry Brown house on the Locke's Mills road.

Mr. L. A. Hall, who has been in the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, returned home, Sunday, and is much improved in health.

Rev. C. B. Oliver was called to Exeter, N. H., last Wednesday to attend the funeral of Harry Vashaw, a former resident of Bethel.

Head conditions are improving in and around Bethel, although there are yet a few bad places which makes auto travelling hard.

The rains last week swelled the rivers and brooks to freshet pitch. The water was over the road below the Alder River bridge on the Locke's Mills road.

Miss Lillian Morse, who has been assisting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Tuell, has gone to her home in Shelburne, N. H., for a few weeks visit.

Miss Hazel Arno, a graduate of the Palmer School of Chiropractic, recently passed the State test and is now practicing with headquarters at the Jordan home.

Mr. J. C. Stevens was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Beckett. Mrs. Stevens, who has been here for a week, returned with her husband to their home in Westbrook.

Mr. W. E. Bartlett was in Glenburn, Ohio, last week to attend the annual agents convention of the Union Central Life Insurance Co. Four agents from Maine were in attendance.

Mr. Thomas Kennagh left Monday evening for Denver, Colorado, where he will visit a brother whom he has not seen for forty-seven years. He expects to be gone several weeks.

At the Methodist parsonage Monday evening occurred the marriage of Ann Swallow and Victoria Kendall of Berlin, N. H. Rev. C. B. Oliver performing the service using the single ring service.

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MOTHER

by
GEORGE WILSON JENNINGS

The realization of a child's destiny is always the work of the mother. Since the creation of man, the mother has been the object of adoration, as well as the centre of affection, around which all other thoughts and memories revolve and cluster, for a mother's heart has and always will be the child's schoolroom, not only in the earlier life, but in mature years. If there be aught surpassing human deed, word, or thought, it is the mother's love.

Never can one forget his pure, right educating mother! On the dim and misty hills of childhood's memory, towards which we ever turn and look, stand the mothers who marked to us our life; the most blessed age must be forgotten ere we can forget the warmest heart. Observe how soon, and to what a degree, this influence begins to operate! The first ministrations for her infant is to enter, as it were, the valley of the shadow of death, and win its life at the peril of her own! How different must an affection thus founded be from all others.

What a great and lasting blessing to have the exalting companionship of a mother, since the love you get is the love you owe. She very often does things that surprise you. Do you repay her? Every one must have his pay and the pay of love is appreciation. Do for her now. Give her more of your love and time. Bring to her gifts which do not have to be of great intrinsic value. Bring her flowers. Do not wait until she is dead. Give her now that loyal devotion she has always given you.

Recently standing with a friend at the open grave of his mother, he said, "My mother's prayers, silent and gentle, could never miss the road to the throne of all bounty." To find out the sterling worth of a man's character, meet his mother.

The loss of a mother is always most keenly felt, even if her health be such as to incapacitate her from taking an active part in the care of the family and home. She is always the delightful rallying point for affection and a thousand tenderesses. Dreary the world when she makes the great venture. But more beautiful and alluring the Great Beyond because the mother is over there.

Mother's Day, 1924.

GOULD'S ACADEMY

Taylor Clough '24 represented the school in the secondary school speaking contest held at Colby College, May 2. Sixty-eight of the leading preparatory and secondary schools throughout New England were represented. Mr. Clough was one of the twelve speakers chosen from the preliminary speaking for the final contest.

The Commencement play, The Masque of the Two Strangers, announcement of which has previously been made in these columns, will be presented with the following cast:

The Princess, Elsie Flint
Song, Roth Hastings
Sorrow, Gentle Saunders
Laughter, Marion Brooks
Hope, Louise Shorlon
Joy, Ruth Emery
Dance, Hilfred Keddy
Love, Freddie Philbrick
Power, Donald Sweeney
Herald, Ernest Holt
Fame, Willard Dean
Ricks, Edward Carlson
Poetry, Mildred York
Service, Shirley Brooks
Jester, William Chapman
Special attention will be given to costumes. The music will be under the direction of Miss Whitehead. The play will be directed by Mrs. Eugene Van Denkerkoven.

The honor roll for the last month is as follows:
Seniors: Marion Brooks, Willard Dean, Taylor Clough, Elsie Flint, Ruth Hastings, Louise Shorlon, Hilfred Keddy, Freddie Philbrick, Donald Sweeney, Ernest Holt, Willard Dean, Edward Carlson, Mildred York, Shirley Brooks, William Chapman.

Seniors: Elsie Dean, Freddie Clark, Irving Davis, Ronald Keddy, George Leavard, Wallace Saunders, Priscilla York.
Freshmen: Elsie Dean, Freddie Clark, Irving Davis, Ronald Keddy, George Leavard, Wallace Saunders, Priscilla York.

The regular monthly meeting of the Twentieth Century Club was held Thursday evening, May 1st, in the music room at the Academy. The following program was greatly enjoyed by the thirty members who were present:
Reading, Miss Gladie Saunders
Vocal Solo, Mr. Brander
Hits to Here, Wm. Chapman
Trio, Messrs. Carlson, Swan, Hazell
Hits to Girls, Miss Flint
Reading, Miss Wight

Puzzle—Popular Magazines
Information and Refreshments
Piano Solo, Miss Hastings
Charades, Advertisements,
Miscellaneous, York, Holmes, Saunders

CANTATA AT THE METHUEN DIST. EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Easter program, including the Cantata, "Gates Ajar," given Sunday evening, April 20, was repeated by request on Monday evening, May 4.

The Cantata was preceded by a short program by the junior classes, including Address of Welcome by Little Master Wentzell. Song and dialogue by the "Sunbonnet Girls" and recitation by Little Phyllis McKenney.

The decorations were unusually beautiful. The portal or "Gates Ajar" being represented by two large pillars—on an either side of the platform—dressed in light blue busting with ceiling and background of the same, the foreground being a profusion of flowers. Crosses illuminated with colored lights on either side of the background added to the beauty of the setting for the black-robe Pilgrim and the white-robed characters of "Faith" and "Hope" the "Messengers" and "Cross Bearers."

The character of the "Pilgrim," representing several recitative parts as well as solo parts, was most creditably taken by Miss Elsie Dean.

The entire program was repeated with the exception of the solo by Mr. W. B. Wight and Mr. Howard Tyler, both being unavoidably absent.

Mr. Melan Chapin in addition to singing "The Holy City" sang also "Open the Gates of the Temple" sung by Mr. Tyler at the first presentation. These numbers were much enjoyed as Mr. Chapin has an exceptionally fine baritone voice.

Mr. A. W. Herrick, violinist, and Mr. Clarence Hall, cornetist, added much to the musical part of the program.

Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf, Com. on Program, and Dr. Hazel J. Arno, Organist and Com. on Music, deserve the merited praise given unstintingly for the successful carrying out of a difficult program.

MOTHER'S DAY TO BE OBSERVED NEXT SUNDAY

Mother's Day will be observed in all the churches of Bethel on Sunday, May 11, with appropriate exercises. Wear a flower for mother.

STORE BROKEN INTO AT WEST PARIS

Burglars entered the store of G. A. Smith at West Paris Tuesday night of last week by cutting a pane of glass, which enabled them to turn the window fastening. A general inspection of things appeared to have been made, from the desk in the office to the boots and shoes displayed in the front window. Mr. Smith was awakened the latter part of the night and their inventory was probably disturbed by his being around upstairs, as they left opera glasses and other things on the piazza which they evidently intended to take. Mr. Smith carries a large stock of clothing which they overhauled. The amount taken can not be estimated yet. Two pairs of shoes and stockings were left, they having changed for new. The safe and cash register were not plundered. Sheriff Billings of Bryant's Pond and Sheriff Frothingham were notified and efforts are being made for their apprehension.

GRANGE NEWS

LONG MOUNTAIN GRANGE held its last all day meeting for the season Saturday with a good attendance. The Lecturer's program follows:

Song, Grange
History of the Flag, Mr. Johnson
Reading, Mrs. Andrews
The Art of Soap Making, Mrs. Alice Thurston
A Community Survey; what are the boundaries of your community?

J. L. Bailey
What changes have occurred in the last generation in the size and character of its population, its industries, etc. What is the present trend?

E. M. Bailey
What are the factors of strength and what of weakness? How does it stand in material prosperity and advancement?

W. W. Perkins
How educationally and in general mental attitude? Mrs. Gertrude Poor
Reading, Mrs. J. L. Bailey
Music, Instrumental, Mrs. Gertrude Poor

BETHEL GRANGE

Bethel Grange, No. 56, met May 1 for its regular meeting with Worthy Master F. E. Russell in the chair. The Lecturer presented the following program:

Song, Grange
The question, whether a mother's interest should be limited to home affairs, or should she be active in community affairs, was responded to by a great many. (Only two Brothers agreed that a mother should be buried at home.)

Reading, Sister Grace Merrill
Song and encore, Brother Dudley
Recitation and encore, Sister Carrie Wight

Pictures of each member when young were brought. Sister Copeland guessed the most number and won the box of candy.

Quotation, Sister Copeland
Song, Grange
The Grange closed and all enjoyed the penny lunch. The Lecturer appointed Sisters Poole, LaRue and Grace Merrill a committee for the program for next meeting, May 15th.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange, No. 336, held its regular meeting Saturday evening, May 3, with sixteen members and one visitor present. The attendance was small owing to the fact that the meeting came the night after the sugar party and the members were more or less tired out.

The committee report about \$60.00 proceeds of dance. Grange voted to have another dance Friday evening, May 23. Committee: P. W. Wight and wife, C. F. Saunders and wife, E. E. Bennett and wife. The literary program was short. Jokes by the W. M. and Overseer. Remarks by the Worthy Lecturer on "Juvenile Granges." Short discussion as to whether we should allow candidates for public office to speak in the Grange meetings. Water powers of Maine was also brought up.

Next meeting, Gentlemen's Night. Sisters to furnish refreshments. Those not solicited please bring pies.

BOY SCOUTS BEAVER PATROL

The next get together of the Day Scout Troop will be on Paradise Road, Monday evening, May 12, 8 o'clock. Bring your supper cooked or uncooked.

MUSICAL TO BE GIVEN THURSDAY EVENING

There will be a musical this Thursday evening, May 8th in the Academy assembly room. This musical is to be given by Miss Potter's room, grades five and six. Parents and friends are invited.

THE J. E. JONES LETTER

BUCKING THE GOVERNMENT

The Daugherty family of Ohio has been giving an exhibition of defiance to the Government of the United States. The former Attorney General has been conducting a sort of continuous performance of "How Not to Behave."

Brother Mal has been in open contempt of the Senate Committee, which has been attempting to look into some of Brother Harry's transactions that have been cleared through Mal's bank at Washington Court House, Ohio. Brother Harry still seems to be able to get the newspaper headlines, and in his interviews he always through familiarity with all the existing methods of opposing the progress of Government investigations. His fellow Cabinet officer, Mr. Denby, has not been heard from since he resigned his position as Secretary of the Navy. For a few weeks he was a rebellious figure, but a good many people have been inclined to be very charitable with him in his position. The spectacle made by Mr. Fall in his refusal to give truthful information about the oil scandal, apparently did not serve as a warning, but on the contrary the two other Cabinet officials mentioned above must have found a good deal of encouragement from the methods of defiance resorted to by the discredited ex-statenmen from New Mexico, Harry F. Sinclair, of Teapot Dome fame, is contesting in the courts to show why the United States Senate has no business to ask embarrassing questions concerning his methods in taking over the public's riches of natural resources. The Western Union Telegraph Company has also refused to give the Senate Committee information that is wanted about telegrams. A number of lesser lights have sought to avail themselves of their supposed rights in refusing to furnish information that is wanted for the protection of the public interests.

Thus it seems that there is to be no let up in defying the processes of the Government. When the Sherman anti-trust law was passed many years ago, the tobacco trust, the steel trust, and the oil trust were among those who refused to submit to its provisions. The railroads had the idea for a good many years that the Government had no right to tell them what they should or should not do. Even the banking interests were among those who opposed the Government. But to the credit of the trusts, the railroads, and the bankers it must be said that they admitted their fault, or should be active in conversion to the Government methods for regulating them through the Sherman law, the Interstate Commerce Commission, the Federal Reserve and the National banking laws, and other regulatory measures placed in charge of departments and commissions of the Government. Even the Federal Trade Commission has been outgrowing its unpopularity. All of these changed conditions seem to be due to the fact that there is an honest desire upon the part of the business interests to establish and uphold honest and ethical methods in doing business. It has been gradually dawning upon the country that the real purpose of the Government in most of these matters has not been prompted by an idle desire to interfere with progress, but to advance that progress. However, that point of view has apparently not percolated through the minds and visions of the most recent despots of public authority, and the Messrs. Daugherty, Sinclair, Dohey, Fall, et al., will perhaps not admit that it is wrong for them to buck their Government, just as long as any part of the public is willing to make excuses for them.

CONSERVATION—PAST AND PRESENT

When Theodore Roosevelt was President there was a terrific public discussion of the principles of conservation. Gifford Pinchot was the spirit inspiring of the Forest Service, and he made a famous protest against turning over the public wealth to private exploitation. Mr. Pinchot returned a Washington as the Governor of Pennsylvania the other day, to report his warning made seventeen years ago, against the continued exploitation of the public resources by private individuals. He urged the Senate Agriculture Committee that in considering the disposition of Muscle Shoals to "get back" to the Rooseveltian policy of conserving the nation's natural resources. The Governor declared that Muscle Shoals was the key to the power situation of the Southeast and he urged upon the Government that it should first adopt a policy before it considered bids for the disposition of Muscle Shoals. "I see no reason in the world why so careless a form of contract as the Ford bid should be accepted," he said. "As a

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BOSTON MARKET REVIEW

Prepared by the Boston Office of the
Bureau of Agricultural Economics,
U. S. Dept. of Agriculture

For Week Ending May 2, 1924

DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS

Dressed poultry was firm with limited supply of fresh dressed and under good demand. Fowl 5 lbs. 33-35c, 4-4 1/2 lbs. 33-35c, 3-3 1/2 lbs. 20-21c; chickens 5 lbs. 33-35c, 4-4 1/2 lbs. 32-34c; stages firm, large 27-28c, small 25c. Live poultry firm, regular light, demand active. Fowl 20c, chickens 27-28c. Butter market showed fluctuations with the decline more in sympathy with other markets than in lack of demand, but reacted into the week. Available trading stocks have not been heavy and buyers did not hesitate to replenish their supplies. Market closed in a firm position. 82 score 31c, 80-81 score 30 1/2c, 78-79 score 30 1/2c, 76-77 score 30c. Eggs: Market has ruled fair with prices showing no change from last week at the close. Trade has been active enough to keep supplies fairly well cleaned up. Storage packed eggs have been moving better. Westerns, Extras 23-24c, Extra firsts 22c, firsts 21-22c, Seconds 20-21c, Nearby henneries 25-26c and browned up to 21c. Storage packed extra firsts 22-23c, storage packed firsts 21-22c.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Texas onions continued lower, closing at \$1.50-1.65 per standard crate of Yellow Bermuda. A few sales of Crystal White Wax were made at \$1.70. Old onions remain drapery, with a dull market. Best sacks of New York and Maine stock closed at \$1.25, with poorer as low as 50c. Strawberries are stronger, and show a slight improvement in quantity and condition. 24 pint crates of Louisiana Klondike closed at 16-22c per pint, and Florida stock is practically all the market. Apples have shown but little change, and are moving very slowly. New York 4 1/2 bushels closed at \$3.75, 4 and 4 1/2 bushels \$3.00-3.25. Tomatoes of good quality and condition closed as high as 45c for choice count, but considerable stock is ordinary to fair quality and condition, and closed at \$2.00-2.50 for good stock. Cabbage is slightly weaker. Texas barrels closed at \$1.50-1.65, with a few best at \$1.50. Alabama crates of pointed type weakened to \$3. A few sales of Texas barrel crates were made at \$1.25-1.50. Cantaloupes are still in slow demand, and stock is showing poor to ordinary quality. Best Mexican crates closed at \$1.25, with decayed stock as low as \$1.00. Artichokes are in heavy supply and closed weaker at \$1.00-1.25 for California boxes. The market has been over-supplied for the past week with a consequent sharp decline. Very large sizes of Carolina closing at \$7.50-8.00, medium fancy at \$7.00-7.50, and small at \$6.50-7.00. A few crates of New Jersey stock arrived during the week. Texas carrots are slightly stronger, closing at \$3.25-3.50 per bushel. Beets are also stronger, closing at \$2.00-2.25 per bushel. Celery closing at \$1.50-2.00 on all sizes. Lettuce shows but little change, and most stock is of ordinary condition. Calif. crates of iceberg closed at \$2.50-3.00.

Gov. Cox of Massachusetts signed a bill giving the ballot law commission discretionary power to reject an initiative or referendum petition if evidence is produced showing signatures have been obtained by fraud. In 1922 there were many complaints that signatures were forged on some of the petitions.

The missing will of Clarence M. Pratt, leaving the major part of his estate for the founding of a home for aged men in Fitchburg, Mass., has been found by Atty. Alvin M. Levy, who recently granted permission by the court to open trunks, rip up carpets and tear open bedding. He found the missing document in a secret compartment in Mr. Pratt's desk through information given by a former employee of Mr. Pratt.

There were 353,746 visitors to the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, last year. This is 65,000 more than in 1922, and in the annual report just issued, Pres. Morris Gray says this increase is "attributable to the growing importance of the exhibitions and the growing interest of the public." The list of annual subscribers has grown from 1,667 in 1919 to 2,812 in 1923, with subscriptions amounting to \$57,145.50 in 1923 as against \$37,481.50 in 1919. The total income from all sources last year was \$212,975.10 and the total expenses was \$255,972.54, making a deficit of \$112,997.44. Such a deficit has to be made up from the Museum funds.

Large public service steam plants supplemented by water power in Canada, if proper arrangements can be made with the Canadian government, are the sources from which the great bulk of the power for the additional requirements of New England must come. In the opinion of the power investigating committee of the Associated Industries of Massachusetts, The estimated amount of undeveloped water power available in New England, if developed for complete utilization of the flow available 60 per cent of the time, is about \$123,000,000 Kw. If in an average year. Of this total it is estimated that nearly \$80,000,000 Kw. If nearly all of which would be generated in Maine would be delivered to industries taking large amounts at a cost from 6c to 1.5 cents per Kw. If, but the Maine laws prohibit the export of power. The total capacity of all central station plants in New England is 2,812,000 kilowatts.

By-laws and plans of procedure for co-operative milk marketing organization to cover all New England, is to be incorporated for \$2,000.00 under the New Hampshire laws, were drawn up by a planning committee, which met at the State House, Boston, for the purpose of the organization for the purpose of the milk marketing for the dealers and for the purchase of such co-operative plants as seems desirable. The option is provided for lease of plants where the local stockholders desire.

NEW ENGLAND NEWS
IN TABLOID FORMNews of General Interest
From the Six States

May 17 is the date of the Maine Odd Fellows' convention to be held at Lewiston.

Workmen excavating in the cellar at the old Colonnade block on Main street, Groenfield, Mass., where an elevator is to be installed, unearthed 12 quart bottles of wine after digging five feet under ground.

The presidential primary election in Haverhill, Mass., was the most extensive in the history of this city. Only 693 men and 121 women voted out of a total registration of about 17,000. The cost to the city was \$2.20 for each of the 814 votes cast.

Hiram A. Wright, Civil War veteran, and the second oldest Mason in the United States in point of membership, died at his home, last week in Winthrop, Mass., at the age of 85. He has been a member of the Masonic Order for 64 years, having joined at the age of 21.

Representative Chester A. Pike of Springfield, Mass., caught a nine-inch trout and, on dressing the fish, he discovered a 12-inch adder curled up in its stomach, he says. The snake was folded up in much the same manner as the inner tube of an automobile tire as it comes from the dealer, the snake being about as flat in proportion to its other dimensions.

Mr. and Mrs. Eber Lashua of Ashburnham, Mass., who were married in Troy, N. H., during the civil war, have just celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Lashua have what is believed to be one of the largest families of children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren in New England. They were the parents of 13 children, 11 of them now living, and have 74 grandchildren living, as well as 11 great-grandchildren.

One half of Tinker Island in Blue Hill Bay, Me., has been acquired by the University of Maine for the study of problems in connection with raising small fur bearing animals. The island will also be used as a training camp for executives for summer camps, the announcement said. A tract of five acres adjoining Lafayette National park, in Harbor, has been leased for a summer station for instruction and research in plant and animal biology.

A real daughter of the American Revolution, Mrs. Sarah Bosworth Bradley of Eastford, Conn., reached the age of 105 years April 20. Entering on her 105th year she is energetic and her physical activity is amazing. Her mind is clear, and the only handicaps she encounters are lack of clear vision and a slight deafness. These impairments have come in her faculties since her centennial year. Born in Eastford, April 30, 1816, Mrs. Bradley has always lived in that little town, which is now less in population than it was 75 years ago.

Frank Plumley, international lawyer, former congressman from Vermont and for half a century a leader in the political affairs and legal life of Vermont, died at his home in Northfield. In failing health since early this year, he was stricken ill four weeks ago. He was 79 years old. Mr. Plumley, who was a trustee of Norwich University, lecturer on international law and vice-president, won international note when he was named umpire of the mixed claims commissions of Great Britain and Venezuela and Holland and Venezuela.

Dr. Ernest Fox Nichols, widely known scientist and former president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and of Dartmouth College, dropped dead while delivering a lecture at the New National Academy of Sciences in Washington. He had been in failing health since November, 1921, when he resigned the presidency of Tech. He had been inaugurated the preceding June, but had been unable to assume his duties as president. He was a native of Lewiston, Me., born June 1, 1863, a son of Alonzo Curtis and Sophronia Fox.

H. B. Ford, burser of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, received a check for \$184,250 from a member of the senior class, who stated that this sum represented the difference between the actual cost of his education to the institute and his tuition fee. In a note accompanying the remittance, the student, who asked that his name be withheld, said that he realized the moral obligation of every undergraduate to the institute and asked that the money be invested and at the 5th anniversary of his class he added to the class endowment fund, which already has reached a total of about \$100,000.

Mrs. A. W. Conaboom of Gardner, Mass., has the champion "big leaguer" egg in that part of the state, measuring eight and one-quarter inches by six and one-quarter inches. The egg was laid by one of a pair of Jersey black geese, which are considered by many poultry fanciers to be one of the best egg layers in that part of the country. Mrs. Conaboom won second prize with the birds at the annual show of the Gardner poultry club show last season. The proud owner plans to enter the birds in poultry shows this year.

RADIO PROGRAMS

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THURSDAY

11:55 A. M.—Arlington time signals; weather reports; Boston and Springfield market reports.

6 P. M. Results of baseball games played by the American, National and Eastern leagues.

Boston Music Week concert by the Leo Reisman Ensemble, direct from the Palm Room of the Hotel Lenox.

PROGRAM

1 Trio in F Major, Godard
2 Duetto, Mendelssohn
3 Spinning Song, Mendelssohn
Leo Reisman Ensemble
6:30 P. M. Boston Music Week program by Leo Reisman and his orchestra, playing in the Egyptian Room of the Hotel Brunswick.

PROGRAM

1 Eileen
2 I'm Worried Over You
3 Somewhere in the World
4 Love's First Kiss
5 Blue Grass Blues
6 A Smile Will Go a Long, Long Way

Leo Reisman and his orchestra

7 P. M. Results of baseball games played by the American, National and Eastern leagues.

7:05 P. M. First of a series of two lectures on Live Stock and Meat Industry, under the auspices of the national live stock and meat board and council of Boston, given by Eunice S. Clark of the Hampden County Improvement League.

7:30 P. M. Bedtime story for the kids.

7:40 P. M. Boston Music Week concert by Charles R. Hector with his St. James Theatre orchestra, broadcast direct from the St. James Theatre, Boston, as arranged by Boston Music Week committee.

PROGRAM

1 March, "Stars and Stripes Forever," Sousa
2 Selection from the musical comedy "Miss Dolly Dollars," Victor Herbert
3 Waltz, "The Nightingale," J. Brockman

4 Rhymed Rhythm arranged by Charles R. Hector

8:15 P. M. Boston Music Week. Spanish concert presented by May Fiske Hoffman, broadcast direct from the Ambler Studio of Chickering & Sons Piano Company, Boston. Senor David Sequerra, pianist, and Senor Luis Alvarez, tenor.

PROGRAM

1 Spanish Dances of the 16th and 17th centuries
(a) Alta
(b) Pavana
(c) Zarabanda
Senor Sequerra

2 "Mannanitas" (Suite Antiques)
(a) Alta
(b) Aurora
(c) Maitines
(d) Diana
(e) Sarrana
(f) Zortico
Senor Sequerra

3 Spanish Songs
(a) La Partida
(b) Clavellito
(c) Ay, Ay, Ay
Senor Alvarez

4 (a) Malagueña
(b) Potrerita
(c) Segullilla
Senor Sequerra

5 Spanish Songs
(a) La Granadina
(b) El Lucero
Senor Alvarez

6 Modern Spanish compositions for piano
(a) Moorish Legend
(b) Playara
(c) Parao
(d) Pito
(e) Jota Aragonesa
Senor Sequerra

10:35 P. M. Arlington time signals

11 P. M. Summary of day's events at

the general conference of Methodist Episcopal church
(Eastern Daylight Saving Time)

FRIDAY

12:55 A. M. Arlington time signals; weather reports; Boston and Springfield market reports.

6 P. M. Results of games played by the Eastern, American and National leagues.

6:05 P. M. Dinner concert by the WBB orchestra.

PROGRAM

1 Chacona, Durand
2 Spanish Dance No. 2, Moszkowski
3 Extract from the ballet music to Henry VII, Saint-Saens
(a) Dance of the Gypsy
(b) Scotch Idyll
(c) Gigue and Fiddle
(d) Melodie d'Amour, Hurst
5 Entr'acte Valse (trio selection) Hellmesberger

6 Barichetta, Nevin
7 Valse in D Flat, Chopin
8 Overture, Stravella, Plotow
9 Reverie du For, Saint-Saens

7 P. M. Results of games played by the Eastern, American and National leagues.

"Pep Smith, Pinch Hitter," a dramatized story prepared by the Youth's Companion. Current Book Review by R. A. MacDonald of the Court Square Book Store.

7:30 P. M. Bedtime story for the kids.

8 P. M. Jazz Symposium, illustrated by Leo Reisman and his orchestra, with discussions by Leo Reisman, Henry Gibson, Prof. Hill of Harvard University and Prof. Marshall of Boston University, broadcast direct from Jacob Sleeper Hall, Boston.

10:35 P. M. Arlington time signals

11 P. M. Summary of day's events at the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Program of chamber music by the WBB orchestra.

PROGRAM

1 Second Hungarian Rhapsody, Liszt
2 Allegretto from ballet music, "Faust," Gounod
3 Country Dance, Nevin
4 Good-bye, Toal
(Eastern Daylight Saving Time)

SATURDAY

12:55 A. M. Arlington time signals; weather reports; Boston market report.

3:00 P. M. Program from the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, broadcast from the Springfield Auditorium; addresses to be given: "Education," by Bishop T. J. McDonnell, and "The Present World Situation," by Sherwood Eddy.

6 P. M. Results of games played in the Eastern, American and National leagues.

6:05 P. M. Boston Music Week concert direct from the Palm Room of the Hotel Lenox, by the Leo Reisman Ensemble.

PROGRAM

1 Trio in B Flat, Dvorak
2 Serenade, Tosti
3 Entr'acte "Clarice," Walter Lound
Leo Reisman ensemble
6:30 P. M. Boston Music Week special dance concert by Leo Reisman and his orchestra playing in the Egyptian room of the Hotel Brunswick.

PROGRAM

1 Heartaches
2 Josephine
3 You're In Love with Everyone
4 Oriental Love Dream
5 She Wouldn't Do What I Asked Her To
6 Spain
Leo Reisman and his orchestra

7:00 P. M. Results of games played in the Eastern, American and National leagues.

7:30 P. M. Bedtime story for the kids.

7:40 P. M. Concert by the Hotel Kimball trio; transmitted from the Hotel Kimball dining room; Jan Geeris, violinist and director; Angela Goddard.

Louergan, cellist; Paul Laurence, pianist

8:00 P. M. Program from the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church; broadcast from the Springfield Auditorium; addresses to be given: "Religion and Home Life," by Bishop Edwin H. Hughes; "The Minister in a Modern World," by George Elliott of New York.

10:35 P. M. Arlington time signals

11 P. M. Summary of day's events at the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church

(Eastern Daylight Saving Time)

A HYPOCRITE

One day, at dinner time, the writer, finding himself very very hungry picked out the largest potato in the dish. Of course, he knew that the largest is not always the best but this was an exceptionally good looking murrphy. When this nice looking potato was carefully peeled and cut open the whole inside was discovered to be a big black hard core which had to be thrown away. The would-be eater said: "That's a hypocrite."

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ORCHARD GLEANINGS

ORCHARD RENOVATION IS IMPORTANT TASK

Orchard renovation, properly done, involves good drainage, ample fertilizing, special pruning, insect and disease control, and such other procedure as special conditions require, says H. H. Sawi, assistant extension horticulturist, in discussing the possibilities of bringing neglected orchards into profitable production. Mr. Sawi calls attention to the fact that in some states a neglected orchard is declared by law to be a public nuisance and is treated accordingly, so that when the owners fail to clean them up public officials do it at the expense of the owners.

There are many orchards that are suffering from lack of attention and are not only not producing profitably but are a serious nuisance because they harbor insects and diseases. He makes the following suggestions for the treatment of such orchards:

In pruning an old orchard for renovation special methods should be used for different kinds of fruit and for different conditions. As a general rule neglected trees are pruned more severely than trees that have been pruned systematically and carefully each year.

Associated with neglected trees is an orchard soil that has not been cultivated properly. The soil should be plowed as deep as possible without the destruction of the many large roots. This deep plowing should be done in the early winter and followed by thorough disk harrowing in the early spring.

The trees should be fertilized in the early spring with stable manure or commercial fertilizer, or both. Just before the buds begin to open an application of nitrate of soda or sulphate of ammonia will give good results as manifested by an increase in fruit setting.

After the pruning is completed in the winter, an application of lime-sulphur spray (concentrated strength) should be given the trees to free them of scale insects or other insects and spores of pathological diseases.

When cultivation should be practiced throughout the summer, and a regular spray program should be followed. In early fall a cover crop should be planted in the orchard to improve the fertility and improve the physical condition of the soil.

Brown Rot of Plums Is Controlled by Spraying

To control brown rot of plums all the "susceptible" fruits should be sprayed if possible. The tree should be given a thorough spraying with lime-sulphur, at the water strength, shortly before buds begin to swell. Nitrate of soda or sulphate of ammonia is satisfactory and may be used instead of the lime-sulphur spray if there is no late June rain. The tree should be sprayed later with self-bottled lime-sulphur. This should be done about six weeks after blossoming. For the preparation of strong copper sulphate solution use about two pounds of copper sulphate in 25 gallons of water. To make self-bottled lime-sulphur use four pounds of sulphur, four pounds of rock lime and 25 gallons of water. Use good hard rock lime for the best result come entirely from the lime. Place the lime in the bottom of a sack, place the sulphur on top of it and then add hot water slowly until the lime is slacked, stirring carefully. Then allow to reach with steam heat for a few minutes, add the remainder of the water needed, strain and apply at once.

Guards on Trees Should Be Taken Off in Spring

Wooden or paper guards about trunks of trees in the fall to prevent injury from mice and rabbits during the winter should be removed in the spring. There is a danger that the guards will be left on the trees and will cause injury to the bark of the trees by the mice and rabbits.

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Brilliant Yucca Plant by Cutting Off Tops in July

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HOW

THE WORD "GERRYMANDER" ORIGINATED BACK IN 1811

The word "gerrymander," frequently occurring in the newspapers, or used by politicians, meaning an unfair arrangement of the political divisions of a state or similar district, to give one party an advantage over another in elections, was coined in 1811, from the name of the governor of Massachusetts, Elbridge Gerry.

In the year named, Gerry, a Democrat, had a majority of both branches of the legislature and a new division of the districts for the election of representatives in congress was made.

For the purpose of securing a Democratic representative, one district was composed of a most irregular arrangement of towns in the county of Essex. Thereupon Benjamin Russell, editor of the Columbian Sentinel, of Boston, plotted out on a map of the county the towns thus selected and hung the map in his editorial sanctum. Soon after, Gilbert Stuart, the celebrated painter, happening in and remarking the map, observed that the towns as Russell had colored them formed a picture of some monstrous animal. Then taking a pencil from his pocket he sketched on a few lines resembling claws. "There," said he, "that will do for a salamander."

"Gerrymander!" cried Russell, looking up from his desk, at which he had been busy with his pen, and surveying Stuart's addition, "Call it Gerrymander!"

—Detroit News.

How to Finish Floor

A concrete floor can be given a smooth finish by being treated with paraffin wax dissolved in turpentine, followed by a coating of powdered wax worked into the floor in the same manner as a wooden floor is waxed and polished. Another method that might be employed would be coating the surface of the floor with liquid soap, which is worked up into a lather and rubbed into the floor by means of a scrubbing brush, after which an occasional application of powdered soap on the floor would serve to keep the surface in good shape. It might be that several applications of liquid soap would be necessary before the surface is fitted sufficiently to provide a smooth finish which would be satisfactory.

How Free Mail Originated

The privilege of sending and receiving mail free of postage was first enjoyed by the president of the United States, Vice President, heads of departments, senators and representatives, and other officials of the government during their official terms. For a time all former presidents and widows of former presidents also had this right, but by an act of 1873 the privilege was abolished. By later acts it was conferred on all officers of the government in the case of official correspondence. In 1885 members of congress were allowed this privilege in their official correspondence, and by special acts the privilege has again been extended to widows of presidents.

How Liquid Air Is Produced

Air is compressed to a high pressure. The heat produced by compression is removed and the compressed air allowed to expand through a valve. This produces cold. The cold of the expanding air is used to cool the incoming compressed air by a heat interchange. This eventually renders the temperature at the valve so low that a part of the air is liquefied. In some plants the efficiency is increased by causing the expanding air to do work in an expansion engine. A gallon of liquid air can be produced by the expenditure of about 20 horsepower hours without an expansion engine.

How Glider Rises in Air

In glider support is received from the action of moving air on the wing surface. The glider, or soaring plane, is given motion relative to the air by means of a motor or by means of a catapult. The glider is then released and it rises in the air by means of the action of the wing surface on the air.

How "400" Originated

The word "400" is a slang term for a person who is a social climber. It is a very hardy plant and will grow in any soil. It is a very hardy plant and will grow in any soil. It is a very hardy plant and will grow in any soil.

How Many Post Offices?

The Post Office department says that there are 100,000 post offices in the world, and in 1923 a letter will be given the same treatment; that is, according to the size of post office the letter will be delivered by a city or rural carrier, or held for call.

Why Sea Sickness Occurs

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

(Continued from page 1)

Mr. E. C. Park was a business visitor in Portland, Wednesday.

Mrs. Gertrude Haggood was at Norway and South Paris, Wednesday.

Mrs. Locke of Norway was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hastings.

Mrs. Miss Harriman is spending a few days at L. E. McNeil's at East Waterford.

Mr. S. G. Bean of Albany was a dinner guest of his sister, Mrs. H. T. Sawi, in Tuesday.

Mrs. Fitzmaurice Vail of Poland is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Buck.

Mrs. William Eldredge of Rockport, Mass., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Angelia Clark.

Mr. Wade Thurston is in Andover managing a drive of pulpwood down the Ellis River.

Messrs. Marshall Hastings and Ralph Young have gone to No. Strafford, N. H., surveying land.

Mr. Percy O. Brick and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Spearin, Sunday.

Miss May Chapman has returned home from Portland where she has been spending two weeks.

Mr. Fred B. Hall is in attendance at the Masonic Grand Lodge sessions in Portland this week.

Mrs. C. M. Kimball of East Bethel is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. N. Sanford, and family.

Miss Alice Willis returned from Portland, Monday evening, and opened her house for the summer.

About twenty members of Bethel Grange attended Pomona Grange at West Bethel, Tuesday.

Mr. George Harlow is driving a truck for the Merrill, Springfield Co., hauling signs from West Bethel.

Mrs. David Babson and daughter, Thora, of Bangor are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Morgan.

Miss Hildred Bartlett was the guest of her schoolmate, Miss Lena McAllister, at Skillington, Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Chandler of No. Paris spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Chandler.

Mrs. Lyman Wheeler attended the District Women's Home Missionary Convention at Lewiston, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Tibbels and Miss Frances Carter of Portland were week end guests of relatives in town.

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Mr. Irving Gillis of Berlin, N. H., was a guest at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chandler's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brink were presented with twenty-four pinks on May 1, it being their twenty-fourth wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Octavia Bean, who has been spending the winter with Mrs. Edmund Merrill and family, has gone to her home at East Bethel.

Rev. S. T. Achenbach, Rev. C. B. Oliver, Mr. Frank Curtis and Miss Edna Bean attended the Central District S. S. Convention at Norway, Friday.

Mrs. Bertha Mundt has lately completed a very pretty drawn rug for Mrs. Walter Bartlett of Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Tyler visited Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Tyler and family at East Bethel, April 27th.

James Mundt, who has employment in a mill in Newry, was at home the week end.

Miss Ida M. Hazelton is the guest of relatives at Skillington.

Almon Tyler is putting roofing on his house.

J. A. McKenzie of Mason sawed wood for Albert L. Whitman, C. L. Whitman and Fred Mundt a short time ago.

Miss Eleanor Lyon was the week end guest of relatives at the Haggood farm. Several from this community attended the drama given by the West Bethel Grange last Saturday night.

M. F. Tyler recently did some plowing for A. J. Peaslee and H. A. Lyon.

Harry A. Lyon and Almon Tyler had their wood sawed recently by Lyman Wheeler of Bethel.

Clyde L. Whitman and Fred Mundt have been repairing the Mason & Grover Hill telephone line.

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NORWAY, MAINE

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The committee to be held on school piano Clarence. All those have asked to be on or before tickets or will investigate the per-will be selling of salads, assorted pies, candy and ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Walter home after spring id.

Mrs. Elvira short time with is. Mrs. Dennon Mrs. Ella Colburn for some, Mrs. Bert J. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burnham at Bryant's Pond were at N. week as Edward gland in his Rev. Eleanor Yarmouth, Thun.

Miss Forbes day School District way on May 2. Miss Minnie La list, Mrs. S. T. and Lulu Herrie church.

Carl P. Ducho lunch counter in charge of Mr. Mrs. Raymond R. Raymond Ducho West Paris from Mr. Panham with shop and pool talking to South Paris.

Edwin J. Mann R. Tuell and M. Lewiston, Sunday home his new H sedan.

Rev. H. A. Martown Wednesday he spent in calling C. L. Bilton at in Lewiston, Sunday home his sedan, to be newly varnished.

Stanton Cole of chased the place of son. Mr. Benson into the upstairs and Hutchins' plan Mr. and Mrs. P. Lewiston, Sunday.

Harry Chase was ford over the week Several from lectures at Bethel, Roy Blake work plowing with his week.

Forester Pierce, Mr. Doughty of V town, Friday.

Warren Brooks Locke's Mills were Leon Brooks of town one day last

ALB The Circle will May 10. After hoping for a good Mr. and Mrs. John their home here M been spending the N. H.

Ronald Mosman to serve children in town or also want them to gram

Marion had on today, on business. Made better for her brother, Charles to the past week.

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WEST PARIS

The committee in charge of the sale to be held on May 14th for the grade school piano fund will meet with Mrs. Clarence Ridlon, Thursday afternoon. All those having articles for the sale are asked to have them at Mrs. Ridlon's on or before that date. An opportunity will then be given for those who have tickets or wish to buy them later to investigate the contents of the chest. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock, consisting of salads, beans and brownbread, assorted pies and cakes. A desirable line of fancy work, aprons, cooked food, candy and ice cream will be on sale. An entertainment will be given by the grade pupils under the direction of Mrs. Helen Shaw, supervisor of music. Every available effort is being put forth to make the sale, supper and entertainment successful that the outstanding debt on the piano may be cancelled.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis have returned home after spending the winter in Florida.

Mrs. Elvira Dennen is stopping for a short time with her nephew, E. B. Davis. Mrs. Dennen is in very feeble health.

Mrs. Ella Cole, who has been in Auburn for some time, is with her daughter, Mrs. Bert Lang, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Mann and son, Edward Burnham, spent the week end at Bryant's Pond. Mrs. Mann and Edward were at Norway several days last week as Edward had an operation on a gland in his throat.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes was called to Yarmouth, Thursday, to attend a funeral. Miss Forbes also attended the Sunday School District Association at Norway on May 2. Other delegates were Miss Minnie Lane from the Universalist, Mrs. S. T. White, Miss Ruth Cole and Lulu Herrick from the Federated church.

Carl P. Dunham is soon to open a lunch counter in his store, which will be in charge of Mrs. Dunham, assisted by Mrs. Raymond Dunham. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dunham will soon move to West Paris from So. Paris, although Mr. Dunham will conduct his barber shop and pool table as heretofore, driving to South Paris daily in his car.

Edwin J. Mann and children, Mrs. H. R. Tuell and Miss Williams went to Lewiston, Sunday, and Mr. Mann drove home his new Hudson seven passenger sedan.

Rev. H. A. Markley of Auburn was in town Wednesday for a few hours, which he spent in calling on old friends.

C. L. Bidlon and F. R. Penley were in Lewiston, Sunday. Mr. Bidlon drove home his sedan, which was in Lewiston to be newly varnished.

SOUTH BETHEL

Stanton Cole of Greenwood has purchased the place owned by Berton Benson. Mr. Benson and family have moved into the upstairs part of the late How and Hutchins' place.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks were at Lewiston, Sunday.

Harry Chase was at home from Rumford over the week end.

Several from here attended the pictures at Bethel, Saturday evening.

Roy Blake worked for F. E. Brooks, plowing with his tractor one day last week.

Forester Pierce, Herman Bean and Mr. Daugherty of West Paris were in town, Friday.

Warren Brooks and Emma Cross of Locke's Mills were in town, Sunday.

Leon Brooks of North Paris was in town one day last week.

ALBANY

The Circle will meet at the vestry, May 13. After our long recess we are hoping for a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones returned to their home here Monday. They have been spending the winter in Jackson, N. H.

Ronald Moulton brought a trout to serve the children's tea, June 15. All the children in town are usually invited, also want them to take part in the program.

Marion Hall was in Bethel, Saturday, on business.

Marion Hall has been the guest of her brother, Charles, in the city, and to the past week.

Myrtle Roberts, who has been spending a week at home, returned the first of the week to her home, where she is teaching.

Abel Anderson recently caught a trout from Lake Umbagog, Woodstock, which weighed nearly 3 pounds.

H. H. French and Mrs. French are keeping Abel Anderson for a week.

SPRING

By Adelaide Bean, age 12 years
Spring is the very best time of the year. There the lark, the crow, and the blue-bird comes.
The song of the robin is sweet and clear, And the busy bee works and happily hums.
The meadow before us lies fragrant and green,
We see a small brook running through it,
Many are the flowers that we have seen,
The violet, the daisy, the mayflower, and blue.
Summer is nice, but 'tis very hot,
And Spring is fresh and cool.
Autumn's the time when you are taught
The lessons you learn at school.

Winter hangs icicles over the door,
At Christmas the merry bells ring,
I hope you will realize it more and more
That the very best season is Spring.

In the distance the hills are a purple hue,
White, fluffy clouds sail the sky;
The sky of the wonderful, beautiful blue,
There's a breeze through the trees flitting by.

When Summer comes on, I will feel quite forlorn,
Although joys I know Summer will bring,
For the season I love will then be gone,
And the very best season is Spring.

A DREAM FANTASTIC

There is a silvery pathway
With golden star dust strewn,
This road winds from the world away
To the Palace in the Moon.

The whirling planets spin through space
To a weird celestial tune,
The rim of the world is the starting place
To the Palace in the Moon.

Far above the mountains high
The night winds softly creep;
Stars blaze a trail through the sky
To the Palace in the Moon.

Dawn lifts the purple curtain away,
And dims the star gems all too soon,
But I shall dream throughout the day
Of my Palace in the Moon.

Bethel, R. F. D. 2.
Madge M. Carey.

TEACHING KINDNESS TO CHILDREN

The enactment of a State law in Oregon requiring that kindness to animals be taught in all public schools from 15 minutes to half an hour each week is attracting nationwide attention.

F. H. Bowers, Field Worker of the American Education Society, enclosed a statement from S. M. N. Marks, State Superintendent of Education, Austin, Texas, to the school children of Texas as follows:

"I take pleasure in directing your attention to the fact that education in its broadest sense includes the training of the individuals in order that good character may be the main result. We cannot have good character unless we observe the 'Golden Rule' and the observance of the 'Golden Rule' should be made broad enough in its application to include animals as well as people.

"To this end I wish to endorse teaching of humane treatment of animals as a means of instilling into minds of children proper regard for feeling of others. If we can have the conception that the word 'OTHERS' includes all animal life we will have taken a long step toward world peace, for the individual who has this feeling and will apply the 'Golden Rule' will not be found advocating harsh treatment of individual animals. It is the function of schools to make this contribution to education, and the organization of local societies which have for their purpose the protection of animals and children will contribute very largely to the uplift of our conditions."

LOCKE'S MILLS
Mrs. W. H. Smith visited a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Charles Lockwood, at Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crockett were in Bryant's Pond, Saturday.

Mrs. Mildred Cummings and two children of Norway were guests of her father, Charles, last week.

Donald and Lester Teltbets were away on a business trip last week.

Mrs. Joseph Huffer of New York is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ring Bartlett.

Quite a few from here attended Orange at Bryant's Pond, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe will preach at the church Sunday, subject, "Our First Regard."

Mrs. Donald Teltbets and son are guests of relatives at Mechanic Falls.

The most important thing for the State of Maine to do is to develop its agriculture, and each locality must do its part—Old Town Enterprise.

THE J. E. JONES LETTER

(Continued from page 1)

power proposition the Ford offer is absolutely contrary to the Roosevelt policy as set forth in the water power act. The Ford offer makes no check on the price the consumers must pay for power. Ford could use all the power for himself if he chose. Ford pays nothing whatever for the power he uses. The Ford offer does not do justice to the farmers on the question of fertilizer. The nitrate part of the bid is window dressing. I think this proposition should be gone into seriously with the Department of Agriculture to decide on a fertilizer policy and then plan to distribute the remaining part of the power over the South. An attempt is being insistently made to inject the Muscle Shoals question into the coming national campaign. And so one can hardly resist the hope that it will be discussed fully before the people. The opponents of Ford assert that his bid is in absolute opposition to the water power act, since it relinquishes control of the power of the Tennessee River through a hundred year lease, and thereby violates, as Governor Pinchot has said, the Rooseveltian policy. Enthusiasts have led many people to believe that the interests of the South would be served best by letting the Ford private interests handle the power development. The Rooseveltian policy, which is accepted in the water power act, seeks to retain public control for the public benefit in the development of all natural resources. Governor Pinchot and others have attempted to demonstrate that the Ford bid absolutely violates this principle, and they point to the warning of exploitation of natural resources as it has occurred in land grants, in timber, oil and mineral lands.

THE RAILROAD LABOR BOARD

A determined effort is being made in Congress to abolish the Railroad Labor Board. The Board has the power to render decisions but not to enforce them. In several instances its attempt to "rely upon public opinion" to sustain its decrees has appeared to be more or less of a joke. The Board has been challenged in its right to give publicity prominence to its decrees, but a decision of the United States Supreme Court has sustained their rights in this respect. As the Board does not necessarily represent the interest of either the employers or the employees it has naturally followed that unwilling parties before the tribunal have not come placed with its decisions. Public opinion has proved an unresponsive aid to the Railroad Labor Board, and the result is that a number of the Republican organization leaders in the House are out to kill this Board, which they claim is a Democratic child.

POLITICS VERSUS ECONOMICS

The political considerations that have surrounded the McNary-Haugen bill to aid agricultural financing and price-fixing have outweighed the economic phases of the measure. Opinion differs very widely as to whether there is a real need for the bill. However, those who are in doubt about the matter are willing to admit that it is an honest attempt to remedy the financial boycott in which farmers are the victims. For that reason a good many law makers are willing to take a chance on it.

BURTON AS A KEYNOTE

Whatever else may be said of the selection of Theodore Burton as temporary chairman of the coming Republican national convention, the consolation remains that in his long service to the Senate and House of Representatives he has come to be regarded as about the sanest man in public life. Such qualifications ought to be sufficient for the job.

MAINE WEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

York Village—State road near York found in good condition.

1923 Tuxton—Woolen mills operating at home and employing 70 people.

Lewiston—Strong May 1st crops.

Lewiston—Lewiston Auburn Credit Association, with capital stock of \$10,000, organized to establish credit in New York.

Lewiston—Lewiston Water Company to explore defective water pipe with 12 inch cast iron pipes.

Portland—New hole golf course to be laid out on old Kimball farm as a gift from this city.

Ruth—Campaign under way to secure legislation authorizing building state-owned bridge across Kennebec River at this point.

Winthrop—Two schoolhouses recently destroyed by fire to be rebuilt.

Ellsworth—\$100,000 high school building nearing completion.

Portland—Plans being made to raise \$25,000 for erection of Maine state building at eastern exposition.

St. Stephen—Construction of Orono Memorial school to begin May 1.

Augusta—Storehouse for state records to be erected on Grove Street.

Lewiston—Motor bus service established between this city and Lisbon Falls.

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SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT

MAY TERM, 1924

The following officers will preside at the May term of Supreme Judicial Court to be held at Paris, opening on May 13. The following is the list of jurors:

Justice Presiding—Hon. Luere D. Dray.
Clerk—Donald B. Partridge.
Stenographer—A. H. Whitman.
County Attorney—Hugh W. Hastings.
Sheriff—William O. Frothingham.
Deputies—Harold B. Holman, Allen J. Reed, Benjamin R. Billings.
Crier—R. E. Shaw.
Librarian—James B. Stevenson.
Turn-key—Fred E. Wheeler.
Messenger—Harry Taylor.

Grand Jurors
Jesse W. Adams, Dixfield.
Elmer E. Baker, Fryeburg.
S. G. Bean, Albany.
Arthur Blake, Brownfield.
J. L. Bumpus, Hebron.
John Burke, Mexico.
C. S. Childs, Buckfield.
E. B. Curtis, Paris.
W. K. Hamlin, Waterford.
J. C. Littlefield, Greenwood.
Ray L. Linnell, Rumford.
Charles F. Smith, Hallowell.
Elmer E. Twitcheell, Oxford.

Travelers Jurors
Errol J. Barker, Stoneham.
Albert Bennett, Gilead.
Cecil O. Bartlett, Hartford.
Walter E. Bartlett, Bethel.
John H. Bonney, Somner.
E. H. Carver, Mexico.

Clarence E. Cole, Woodstock.
L. E. Cole, Greenwood.
A. P. Copeland, Bethel.
Annie C. Davis, Mexico.
Henry Dupill, Rumford.
Vena R. Gallop, Mexico.
Don A. Gates, Dixfield.
Ernest C. Glover, Canton.
Fred L. Grover, Andover.

Louis A. Hammond, Rumford.
William J. Haseall, Norway.
Harry N. Head, Bethel.
Washington Heald, Buckfield.
Ida Jacobs, Paris.
Clement L. Knox, Paris.
Sarah Latham, Rumford.
Perley D. Lord, Porter.
Loria M. Louger, Fryeburg.
J. Edward Marsh, Paris.

Walter P. McKee, Bow.
W. H. Packard, Hebron.
Walter Perkins, Oxford.
Ray Phillips, Norway.
Walter B. Pillsbury, Rumford.
William A. Potter, Denmark.
Isabel Simmons, Dixfield.
Ernest W. Stoughton, Paris.
Herbert E. Walker, Waterford.
Edward G. Warren, Upton.

BREAKING TURKEYS WINGS

A Chicago woman writes the Oregon Humane Society that each one of the last three turkeys she has bought has a wing that had been broken during its life time in about the same place. The turkey she bought last Christmas came from Texas and the broken wing had not healed, the bones piercing the flesh.

Both Texas and Oregon are great turkey raising states, and she asks if it has not become a practice to break one wing, making them easier to catch for market.

If such cruelty can be established, humane people should be warned against buying turkeys from states that tolerate this form of cruelty to dumb creatures.

Growing demand for electricity on farms is being met by construction of superpower plants and establishment of larger power units formed by mergers of smaller concerns. All combine to extend and relay rural service. California leads the world in number of farmers using electricity and the cost of service, Washington is second with 20,000 farms electrified.

SOUTH ALBANY

Sunday callers at James Kimball's were Mr. and Mrs. Abel Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Willis McKee, Mrs. Lucy Hutchinson, Howard Allen, Carroll and Donald Lewis.

Walter Lord was through this vicinity, Monday, with his meat cart.

Ray G. Wardwell has a radio.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvert M. Fullerton were in Buckfield, Sunday.

Robert Hill is working in Bridgton. Ernest Brown bought a calf of J. A. Kimball, Friday.

Mrs. Ernest Brown called on her friend, Mrs. Roy G. Wardwell, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Etha Fleck and children are spending a few weeks at her father's, David McAllister's.

Remember the "Spasm," May 10th.

EAST BETHEL

Miss Edna Bartlett, a teacher in the Rumford schools, was at her home here over the week end.

Mrs. Irving Kimball of Brookline, Mass., is spending a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Hastings and Mrs. G. K. Hastings were Saturday guests of relatives at South Paris.

Mrs. George Swan of Dixfield is this week's guest of her mother, Mrs. H. O. Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rideout of Oakland, Calif., Mr. Chas. Holt of Lynn, Mass., were over Saturday and Sunday visitors of their brother, John L. Holt, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cummings and daughter of Hallowell were last week's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rayford.

Mr. Roy Dorcy has gone to the McCarty Hospital, Rumford, and has been operated upon for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Hastings drive out with a handsome new Essex touring car, recently purchased.

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